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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (*if only one name is listed below*) or an original, first and joint inventor (*if plural names are listed below*) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**SINK WITH FOLDABLE FAUCET ASSEMBLY AND MULTIPLE-PURPOSE SUPPORT STRUCTURE**

**TITLE OF INVENTION****SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION**

the specification of which:

- (a) ☒ is attached hereto.
- (b) ☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_, as ☐ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ and was amended on \_ (*if applicable*).
- (c) ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. \_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) or 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) or any PCT international application(s) having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

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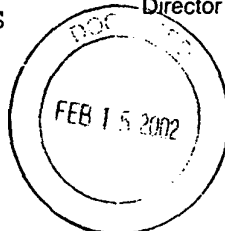
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Nationality

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☒ and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled: **SINK WITH FOLDABLE FAUCET ASSEMBLY AND MULTIPLE-PURPOSE SUPPORT STRUCTURE**

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(a) ☐ U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith

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